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The
Shorthorn

CLASS
—OF—
1928

The Stockbridge School of Agriculture
at
Massachusetts Agricultural College

The 1928 SHORTHORN



Roscoe Wilfred Thatcher

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Dedication

As an expression of our loyalty to him as
our new President, as a token of our
respect, and in appreciation of
the interest he has shown
in this course, we

The Class of 1928
respectfully dedicate this SHORTHORN to
ROSCOE WILFRED THATCHER



Foreword

OUR two years on the Campus have gone and it is with mingled feelings of joy and sorrow that we step out into the world to apply the knowledge we have gained here. That this SHORTHORN may serve to remind us in later years of the many pleasant experiences which have been ours, of the trials and tribulations of greater or less degree which we have endured, and of the friends we have made, is the hope of those who are responsible for the production of this volume.

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A Decade of Growth

This year, 1928, marks a ten-year period of educational service which the Massachusetts Agricultural College has rendered to the young men and women of the state thru the Two-Year Course in Practical Agriculture. Accurate results of any educational program are always difficult to figure—and statistics alone do not tell the whole story. It should be of interest, however, to observe the trend of enrolments in the course from its beginning.

1918-19 — 37	1923-24 — 169
1919-20 — 209	1924-25 — 161
1920-21 — 277	1925-26 — 189
1921-22 — 293	1926-27 — 165
1922-23 — 257	1927-28 — 205

During the four years following the end of the Great War the large registrations are explained by the great number of ex-service men taking agricultural training under the U. S. Veterans' Bureau program of rehabilitation. This work practically ended with the year 1923, altho four field instructors were kept at work thru 1925, supervising the placement jobs of the former soldiers and assisting them to successful beginnings in their new vocations. Since 1924, then, the enrolment figures can well be interpreted as an index of the normal interest young people of Massachusetts are showing in entering agricultural occupations. For a state chiefly industrial in its pursuits the record is a good one.

Year by year the graduates of the Two-Year course have been taking up their new duties and responsibilities which this training has helped make possible. And today our alumni records carry the names of over 500 graduates, a good percentage of whom are engaged in the business of agriculture.

An effective system of placement training has been developed which enables every student to get six months of valuable experience under working conditions which test and demonstrate the principles of the class-room. Growing out from this has come an employment service for graduates of the course by which the College is increasing its usefulness both to the trained worker and to the employer.

With the undergraduates we have seen a healthy growth in athletic activities, football, hockey, basketball, and baseball; the social life of the Two-Year Clubs is a steady and helpful influence in the student groups; and problems of student government are well handled. For all this sound development of customs and organizations we owe much to the early founders of the work and to the pioneer classes whose interests and enthusiasms built so well.

Today finds the College with a new leader at the helm whose understanding and conception of the service to be rendered by all departments of the institution augurs well for the future. New problems and adjustments are to be faced as always. May the Class of 1928 feel their responsibility in the work that lies ahead and be eager to carry on the work so well begun as—"loyal sons of old Massachusetts."

ROLAND H. VERBECK.

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Stockbridge Hall





The Stockbridge School of Agriculture
at
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(NEW NAME ADOPTED BY COLLEGE TRUSTEES—MAY, 1928)

Owing to a feeling that there might be confusion in the public mind concerning the real purpose and plan of the Two-Year Course in Practical Agriculture so long as it continued under that name, President Edward M. Lewis presented a year ago a suggestion to the Trustees of the College that a new name be selected. No name seemed more appropriate than that of the first professor of agriculture of the College, Levi Stockbridge, who was himself a practical farmer, active superintendent of the College farm of those early days, and a real supervisor of placement training at a time when it was required of the students as a part of the class program, with tasks assigned on the college farm. It was felt by the Trustees that any action towards such a change in name should not be taken too quickly to insure careful consideration. The Two-Year course had grown and prospered over a period of almost a decade and it was the desire of all the members of the Board to avoid any step which might hinder the continued development of the Two-Year course, or detract in any way from the good name and reputation for service which it had already made for itself. So the matter was tabled for later consideration and the in-coming president found it among other questions of college policy yet to be determined.

Early in November, at the annual Two-Year Alumni meeting in Springfield, I outlined my own ideas on the question of a new name and later at the suggestion of Director Verbeck presented another statement for the alumni which was printed in the "Two-Year Alumni News" for March. In this I asked for suggestions on a new name so that all interested might have a chance to designate a preference. In response, I did hear from several of the graduates. Following this, members of the present senior class indicated they were much interested in the matter, especially if a new name were to be adopted by the Trustees before the class graduated in June. A committee of the class called upon me and, after learning what names were considered as suitable, prepared and mailed a postal card vote to over seven hundred former students of the course whose names and present addresses were available.

The name submitted for alumni vote was "The School of Agriculture at Massachusetts Agricultural College" and a large majority of the cards returned indicated approval of the change. With these suggestions available from alumni and undergraduates the Trustees had the question again presented to them last Saturday, May 5, and after careful deliberation voted to adopt the original suggestion of former President Lewis, as one most fitting for the type of educational service to agriculture which is being given.

To all alumni, alumnae, former students, undergraduates, and friends of the old "Two-Year Course" I therefore wish to introduce the new name of this important part of our college family:—

*The Stockbridge School of Agriculture
at
Massachusetts Agricultural College*

And may I express the hope that it will soon become to all of you an old familiar name, honoring both the course and the name of one who did so much for the College in its early history, and was such an inspiring teacher and leader for earlier generations.

The new name will go into effect at once and Director Verbeck is already arranging for a new form of diploma to be presented for the first time to the graduating class of 1928.

ROSCOE W. THATCHER.

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Class History

It was a fine autumn day when we returned to the campus, shook hands with old comrades and renewed old acquaintances. After acclimating ourselves to the change from placement training, we settled down to work and achieve.

The class that had troubled the seniors so much the past year now proceeded to strike terror in the hearts of the frosh and this culminated in the annual hat rush, where the class of '28 turned in another sterling performance as regards rough and tumble fighting. The class of '29 was unusually large and their thorough taming reflects credit on the small but capable group of seniors. The two clubs also got under way and social life set in.

Meanwhile the senior class made history for itself. A social was extended to the frosh, who returned the courtesy in great style. The spirit of the class has been evidenced by the interest it has taken in sponsoring the movement for a name for the course, in obtaining a new and better certificate for commencement and in furthering the interests of the course as it has seen them. The movement for a new name resulted in the trustees voting to call the course "The Stockbridge School of Agriculture at Massachusetts Agricultural College."

Placement training period came with the close of the winter term and the freshmen left us to strive as best we could without them. The last term was so filled with activity that almost before we realized it commencement descended upon us.

The activities of the Class of '28 are truly now history. We can only hope that we have played our part while here well.

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Ridgman

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Richard V. Ashton

"Dick"

A. T. G.

Salem, 1906. Football, 2.

"Big Boy" divides his time between cattle, and that even more dangerous creature—woman! It is most fortunate that Dick is not absent minded, for if he were "Billie" (her photo is plastered all over Dick's den) would be led to the altar by a nose ring. Dick, like the more insignificant Beau Brummel before him, is a faultless dresser, and would be very popular were it not for his indiscriminate use of mange cure, to plaster back his rebellious locks.



Daniel W. Baker, Jr.

"Dan"

K. K.

Allston, 1900. Poultry. Class Vice-President, 1. Vice-President, K. K., 2. Student Council, 4, 5. Baseball, 2. Poultry Club.

By his Chrysler, ye shall know him. Such a Chrysler, and such a Daniel! Dan is another hen shagger and can be found any time with Pazsit, Lopes and the rest of the poultry contingent tracing a genetics problem. When in sore straits over genetics, he is apt to moan, "Brown eyes, why aren't you blue?" Dan divides the rest of his time between playing rummy and mysterious journeys to unknown parts for unknown reasons. Dan rates high in fraternity life, and also aspires to lodge activity, so that if he is not a Rotarian, you may find our Daniel in the lion's den.



Alden C. Ballard

"Al"

K. K.

Stamford, Vermont, 1906. Pomology.

Al can always be identified at a distance by means of a familiar object carried in his left or right hand. He claims to have carried books in it but we have very grave suspicions that it contains something to eat. Al is a rugged son of the hills—let no one be misled by his easy disposition that he is an easy mark. Good luck, "Mithter" Ballard. Bulk and Ballard are synonymous and although he is sought on the Campus, he has been carefully avoided in the hat rushes.



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Warren A. Batchelor

"Bunny"

A. T. G.

Stoughton, 1907. Horticulture. Secretary, A. T. G. Vice-President Student Council, 4, 5. Hockey, 1, 2. President, Glee Club. Athletic Editor, SHORTHORN.

Like the fury creature for whom he is nicknamed, Bunny darts speedily hither and thither—not to mention yon! And why not. To guard the net at hockey, to preside over a group of songsters, to write for the SHORTHORN, not to mention a myriad of other duties, and garner excellent marks besides requires energy and drive, and Bunny has it in abundance. Essentially ambitious, Bunny is most enthusiastic over horticulture and intends to branch out into the landscape gardening field. Olmstead Brothers—take notice!



Leroy L. Bergman

"Bergie"

A. T. G.

Orange, 1907. Dairy.

To look at Leroy, and to see him in action one would hardly believe that he hails from Orange, Mass., and not Bronxville, N. Y. No rustic is Leroy—far, far from it. All the winter carnivals are honored by this Don Juan, and a Bergmanless prom is something akin to strawberry shortcake minus the berries. Speaking of the berries, you should see Bergie in his Tux.



Mildred F. Bridges

"Milly"

S. C. S.

West Brookfield, 1908. Floriculture. Sergeant-at-Arms, S. C. S.

Milly little realized what she was getting into when she chose to abide with us for two years. The hills and dales appeal to Milly and you are often apt to find her on a lonely Mt. Toby road. She is active in Girl Scout work and is frequently seen clad in khaki with a few wee protegees. Can't you picture Mildred as the staid proprietor of a greenhouse range in metropolitan West Brookfield?

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Bradford H. Butler

"Brad"

A. T. G.

Feeding Hills, 1905. Horticulture. Football, 1, 2. Wrestling, 1, 2. Baseball, 2. Class Vice-President, 2.

To start with, Brad is the star end of the football team. To continue, he is one of the most popular chaps in the class because of his helpfulness, sympathy and unruffled good humor. He is a persistent plodder and has demonstrated his ability on several important committees. It is rumored that he can do the work of ten men and has a large future in the nursery business. Just as our Bradford was about to grace the diamond as a ball tosser, he became the victim of a bad "break," but we trust his ankle will heal well as did Starkweather's.



Alden W. Butters

"Butts"

A. T. G.

Natick, 1905. Horticulture. Student Council, 1. Football, 1. Basketball, 1; Captain, 2.

So conscientious is this lad that he is sometimes a bit absent minded, and as a result is apt to call you by any conceivable Christian name from Leo to Benvenuto, but this is just a little failing of his. A rugged and versatile athlete, an excellent student by virtue of his dogged determination, and ever an amiable and amusing companion,—for what more could you ask? Tree surgery is ace high with Butts, and he treats the tall timber as tenderly and skillfully as any medical surgeon ever operated.



Eileen M. Callahan

S. C. S.

Dorchester, 1908. Floriculture. Class Play. Floriculture Club.

Most "kid sisters" would prefer the gallows to following the advice of the "eldest daughter", but Eileen proved to be an exception, and ratified Kay's choice of an Alma Mater. This is fortunate, for who of us is not better off for having met the possessor of the famed blue hair and golden—pardon me!—blue eyes and golden hair!



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Errol F. Cook

"Cookie"

A. T. G.

Waltham, 1905. Dairy. Secretary-Treasurer, Student Council, 1, 2; Member, 3, 4. Baseball, 2. Class Play. Business Manager SHORTHORN.

Cookie has served us as a member of the Student Council, has strutted the boards with the dramatic gestures befitting a Barrymore,—and "all that sort of thing." Apropos of that phrase, woe unto us all when Cookie takes a fancy to any such idiom, as it is worn threadbare in the numerous talks he is called upon to make. "Cookie" is most ambitious and being a live wire is much respected and admired by our group. Incidentally, it is only right to disclose the fact that even as Leander swam the Hellespont for woman, Errol would combine this feat with climbing the Matterhorn if Smith College were inaccessible enough to warrant all this.



Arthur D. Crowell

"Art"—"Brewster"

A. T. G.

Brewster, 1908. Vegetable Gardening. Baseball, 2. Boxing, 1.

Quiet? Well—maybe on the surface, but once you break into this lad's circle of friends, and the circle has some circumference, you will find that he is great company, and he is not above lining his neighbor's cot with cracker crumbs. Brewster has been known to step out—and how! Lettuce think of Brewster as a success in market gardening. If you know not whence comes the appellation Brewster, journey out Cape Cod way and you will find your answer in the drowsy hamlet where Arthur got his "brunging up."



Eber H. Davis

"Buck"

A. T. G.

Rutland, Vermont, 1906. Floriculture. Baseball, 5. Floriculture Club.

You know the type. The kind that get woefully disappointed when they get an 89, pulling their average way down to 93. They deserve our sympathy! "Buck" is happiest when tackling a hard committee job and arranging banquets is his long suit. Vermont claims him and is eager to give him her votes at the G. O. P. convention some sunny day. Rutland considers Bucky so valuable a florist that he has been forced to make many trips home to save the flowers from blight.

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John B. Dennett

"Jawn"

K. K.

Plympton, 1907. Vegetable Gardening.

We don't know just what to think of John. He came to us as innocent as the chickens he raised in Plympton, but placement put ideas into his head that had to do with eating muskmelons in the moonlight, and we are afraid that it has had a bad effect on his peace of mind. We hope that John will have a visitation and that his purity may be restored to him.



Richard Wright Dodds

"Dick"

K. K.

Littleton, 1908. Poultry. Football, 1. Poultry Club.

Oh tragedy!—oh tragedy! Lend this lad your sympathy, for in the records concerning the race for a certain popular co-ed's hand, we are startled to find—"Also ran—Richard Dodds." Cheer up, Dick, your charms will snare fair maiden yet. Dick doubled up on Poultry and Pomology, so he is in a fair way of getting something out of the course. He is no world beater as an attorney-at-law, (Bus. Law), but combining Plymouth Rocks with MacIntoshes will gain him the proverbial "filthy lucre."

John J. Doherty

"Jack"

Woburn, 1909. Dairy. Football, 1. An. Hus. Club.

Long John and his wit, mimicry and drolleries are inseparable. Perhaps his most famous impersonation is that of the intelligence examiner—"Naow—when I say go!" etc. John is a dairy "stude" and is the author of that soul grappling "pome"—"Where are you going my pretty maid?" Like Gentleman Gene Tunney, John is another sportsman who reads Schopenhauer, and like Tunney again, he was out for the long count in baseball practice "l'autre jour".

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Robert E. Doran

"Bob"

K. K.

Lexington, 1909. Vegetable Gardening.

The flaming youths of this day and age are usually rather boisterous and lively, but this ruby topped individual is very retiring. When in the company of his confreres, however, we are told that he is not above whooping it up to some extent. Red is a member of the all too small Veg. Gardening group, and as we strive for originality, we refuse to divulge whether or not he knows his onions.



E. Constance Eldredge

"Connie"

S. C. S.

Chatham, 1906. General Womans Course. W. S. G. A., 1. President, S. C. S. Class Play.

Personality plus is this maiden from Chatham who is a wonderful advertisement for "summering on the Cape." Connie has taken part in everything with the exception of the greater portion of her final examinations from which she was excused. Her charming interpretation in "This Woman Business" made us agree with the Bard of Stratford that "the play's the thing!"



George R. Elliott

"Rosebud"—"Pansy"

A. T. G.

Groveland, 1909. Floriculture. Glee Club. Dramatics. Floriculture Club.

Rosebud should be quite literary when you consider that he is the namesake of the famous novelist. He would, however, rather spend his time combining flaming red jackets with pale blue cricket sweaters, white knickers and green and purple sox. Gawge majors in Flori, and is very fond of the little flowers. In fact, you will find him at any dance with one.

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Richard D. Finerty

"Dick"—"Mike"

K. K.

Newton, 1908. Horticulture.

Dick won't tell us why he is here, but it is rumored that he is trying to find out how greenskeepers do their scientific loafing and still draw a salary. Stack knows how soundly Dick can sleep. Which reminds us that Mike has still another nickname.



Joan Hancock

S. C. S.

Montreal, Canada, 1910. Floriculture. Dramatics. Floriculture Club.

The maple leaf forever! Joan has the distinction of being the only one of our members who has to cross a national borderline to reach "Aggie". Joan being the youngest in the class was the recipient of much brotherly and sisterly advice, (with the accent on the brotherly). This petite miss plans to inaugurate M. A. C. flower culture in the charming city of Montreal. Don't smuggle any bulbs over the line Joan!



Ludwig Hoffman

"Hoff"

K. K.

Rockville, Connecticut, 1908. General Horticulture.

The Frigidaire concern has a slogan "There is only one—etc." This is just the "bon mot" we think of in connection with little Ludwig. In his first year Ludwig only passed one exam, but don't let this scare you, one was all he had to take. Rockville must be a pretty warm place judging from the remarks Hoff makes upon the temperature when he crawls onto the porch on a cold night.



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Stuart W. Hovey

"Stuey"

A. T. G.

Dracut, 1908. Horticulture.

"—and so I said, 'No Siree, not for your little Stuey'!" A loud laugh ensues, and thus encouraged Stuey goes on with his placement training experiences. Aided and abetted by his glowing grin, his consistently amiable disposition, and his entertaining line of chatter, Stuart takes the limelight in all "student conferences," known under other and less dignified names. Stuart is a worker through and through, and an ideal companion. Note—The O in Hovey is pronounced as the O in love.



Lloyd W. Jewett

K. K.

Middlebury, Vermont, 1908. Animal Husbandry. Vice-President, An. Hus. Club. Baseball, 2.

That school girl complexion. Here is a chance for the collar people or Hollywood to secure a subject. Lloyd's love for good cattle and his belief in the future of farming would probably cause him to decline such offers. We hope that he and success will be as close as he and Yabo were nights. "Handsome" made a name for himself as a horizon chaser during his placement period, when he sure covered some ground on the show * circuit. *Cattle—not Keith's.



Erling C. Johnson

"Johnnie"

A. T. G.

Everett, 1907. Pomology. Glee Club.

Johnnie is another mechanical horseman, but not being as modern as Messrs. Roche and Butler, Erling has not as yet equipped his cycle with a motor. So ambitious is he that his spare time is spent in work at the storage shed, and we are denied the pleasure of his company. His paddling arm is of such calibre and flexibility that the freshmen wish that they had been denied the pleasure of his company on initiation night.

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Charles G. Kellogg

"Charlie"

K. K.

Benson, Vermont, 1908. Animal Husbandry. Student Council, 3, 4, 5. Football, 2. Treasurer, An. Hus. Club. SHORTHORN Jokes Editor. Marshall, K. K.

Charlie believes in sleep at any cost and seriously resents any interruption of his dreams of—? He has been doing quite a bit of intensive training for C. C. Pyle's long distance sleeping marathon and if practise means anything, he is a sure winner. Many a young flapper has envied Charlie's carriage but we understand that the secret is not for sale. Charlie without his pipe (it is a pipe, and not a tuba) is like griddle cakes without syrup.



George W. Kimball

"Podge"

A. T. G.

Westford, 1908. Horticulture. Hockey, 1, 2. Baseball, 2. Vice-President, A. T. G.

This youngster, at first seeming diffident and quiet, soon blossomed into very much of a live wire. The call of athletics was eagerly answered by this stalwart, who shone consistently in hockey and baseball. When the rugged campers sought to entrain for Toby for overnight sessions, they eagerly sought out Podge, who as eagerly joined them. This love of his for the outdoor life inspires his interest in horticulture. Most of us eat three meals while Podge is just tackling his dessert.



Ruth E. Larned

"Rufus"

S. C. S.

Amherst, 1908. Poultry. Treasurer, S. C. S. Poultry Club.

The Abbey's rules and regulations have no terrors for Rufus, as she hyibernates at the old homestead, a short distance away. Ruth most likely receives rigid care and attention, however, at the hands of Mom. In our pea green freshman period Rufus had a wee bit of trouble with the brooders but, profiting by experience has made her A No. 1 as a guardian of the Plymouth Rocks, Rhody Reds, and what have you?



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Carl P. Larson

"Pop"

K. K.

Hampden, 1907. Pomology. Chairman, Banquet Committee. An. Hus. Club.

After a year's vacation, Pop came back and made a new circle of friends in the present class. Pop delights in taking the boys to Springfield and showing them the town, but he got it right in the eye at Worcester! Ask Pop how he came by his nickname. His idea of nothing is an An. Hus. job. Pop's efficient to the nth degree and consequently is much to be respected. In fact, he is deemed the most likely of the class to succeed.



Harry Leroy Lawson

K. K.

Brockton, 1906. Floriculture.

Harry comes from the shoe city, but has no desire to be a big slipper and shoe man. He would rather consider the lilies of the field and like these lilies he toils not, but on the dance floor he certainly doth spin! (Biblical references from Dr. Elliot's five foot shelf.) New York may be replete with night clubs but as for Harry, he prefers Deerfield for his amusements, and said amusement does not concern playing checkers.



Thomas W. Lawson

"Tommy"

A. T. G.

North Dartmouth, 1908. Animal Husbandry. Football, 1. Baseball, 2. An. Hus. Club.

It is rather fitting that Tommy should come from down New Bedford way, for he is a whale of a good fellow. His quietness is refreshing when we consider that we have more than our share of noisemakers. However, he can be counted on to come across with a good practical joke every so often. Tom has decided tastes in millinery that popular opinion has been unable to shake. Tom's build is such that we hope some footpads cross his path some day. The crime wave should be lessened considerably then.

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Frank L. Lopes

"Shorty"

A. T. G.

Vineyard Haven, 1905. Poultry. Basketball Manager, 2.
Baseball, 2. Poultry Club. Boxing, 1.

Vineyard Haven's favorite son centered his Aggie career around Poultry and basketball. He has had experience as a basketball manager, player, trainer and coach. As in the case of Shrimp Maddocks, we see that the little fellows have a big place in the world. Napoleon wasn't such a big bruiser, was he Shorty? Ask Shorty to show you his photograph album. It would quite amaze you!



John W. MacIntyre

"Mac"

A. T. G.

Springfield, 1907. General Horticulture. Art Editor,
SHORTHORN.

Hail! The creative genius—the baron of pen and ink! Like Ziegfeld and Gibson, Mac believes in glorifying the American Girl, as the bevy of beauties on the walls of his room would indicate. His hobby is hitchhiking and he has made many trips to Times Square without the aid of commercial transportation. When John admits he likes nice things, what does he mean?



Lewis H. Maddocks, Jr.

"Shrimp"

A. T. G.

Dracut, 1909. Horticulture. Hockey, 1. Captain, 2.
Baseball, 2.

What if Shrimp's nocturnal escapades did result in his sleeping in class occasionally? He was always wide awake on the hockey rink, and in pow-wows he gave us the benefit of his dry wit and amorous experiences. Shrimp hails from Dracut, which gave us Hovey and Wells, and is a worthy member of the triumvirate. He has gone in for greens-keeping and though small in stature has big ideas. Not until it was almost time for Shrimp to leave us, did we discover that he was an adept at female impersonation. Verily he can make himself into a Tiller Sunshine girl at a moment's notice.



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John C. Marchant

"Ches"

K. K.

Roslindale, 1909. Vegetable Gardening. Baseball, 2. Secretary K. K., 2. SHORTHORN. Photographs.

John may not be a collar ad, although he gets an 82 average on looks, but he is a Colgate toothpaste ad, with his perennial smile. John belongs to the group that grow their onions and know their onions. His hobby consists of coddling a Winchester, and we understand he can make rifles and targets do tricks. Brother Marchant certainly has played an active part in affairs here, and ranks among the first half-dozen in popularity.



Harold E. Mayberry

"Mecca"

K. K.

Northborough, 1908. Pomology.

Mecca, or what have you, may be heard any time, anywhere. He developed his wind-up throwing apples around the orchard on placement. The poor boy felt quite badly when he was not elected class "Scotchman," but later decided that he didn't want it anyway. His pranks will be remembered. Our memories search out that woeful day in our freshman year when Mecca spent a whole period cramped up in a locker, on the outside of which was a sign "Beware —Mad Dog!"



Ira J. Mitchell

"Ike"

A. T. G.

Haverhill, 1906. Horticulture.

If you can't find Ike in his room you might examine the tall timber and be sure that you will find him dangling from a branch. No, our hero is not a Simian! He merely loves nature. Unfortunately he did not experience the thrills of being a freshman with us, but it did not take him long to get acquainted. Not on your tin-type, as they used to say in the gay nineties. Ike knows his nursery and has had quite a bit of practical experience.

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Samuel S. Mitchell

"Sam"

A. T. G.

Salem, 1909. Horticulture. Football, 1, 2. Manager, Hockey, 2. Glee Club. President, A. T. G. Student Council, 2, 4, 5; Vice-President, 3.

"The following will be excused from final examination." Sam's name, like that of Abou Ben Ahdem, has led all the rest whenever the "shark" list has been announced. Keeping such a high average is no mean feat when you consider that Sam's range of activities include football, a club presidency, hockey management, and a daily letter to Salem with an inverted stamp. Considering our Samuel it is easy to believe the veracity of the cigarette advertisement, "Such popularity must be deserved."



Thomas A. Napoli

"Tom" — "Nap"

A. T. G.

Lexington, 1908. Vegetable Gardening. Football, 1, 2. Basketball, 2.

No diffident and shy youngster is this. Tommy has been quite forward from the start and has planted himself with both feet in our midst. It is quite impossible not to like Tommy, with his perpetual ear to ear grin, and ready stock of stories, usually told at some one else's expense. Tommy gets the marks, has reaped two athletic letters, fits prominently with all students (both sexes!), and—what more do you want? Tom, may it be stated to his everlasting credit and glory, introduced to M. A. C. those choicest of tid-bits, Chi Chi.*

*Descriptive folder sent upon request.



Sidney P. Nelson

"Sid"

K. K.

Jamaica Plain, 1907. Vegetable Gardening. Student Council, 1. Baseball, 2.

Sid, the barber's menace, can usually be found at Stockbridge during the day and in the C. S. Union at night, arguing out some point with the stem of a pipe. His biggest problem is to think up a story to tell the other three or four members of his harem when June comes. There never has been, nor will there ever be such a waiter as Sid. For that much, we give thanks.



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Ralph E. Olsen

A. T. G.

Belmont, 1909. Horticulture. Football, 1, 2. Basketball, 1, 2. Baseball, 2.

The following phrases are familiar to sport fans: "A pass, Graf to Olsen, netted 40 yards—Olsen plunged through for 10 yards—Olsen's double decker tied the score." A versatile athlete, Ralph also has the happy faculty of getting the maximum results from a minimum amount of studying. Ralph will have his little joke.



Albert J. Owens

"Shorty"

K. K.

Prospect Plains, N. J., 1904. Floriculture. Floriculture Club.

Sears and Roebuck, Moran and Mack, Hart, Schaffner and Marx, Beery and Hatton—all these are fine partnerships, but the most colorful pair of inseparables by far are Taylor and Owens. As this poison pen will soon wax hot on Taylor, let us now turn to Owens. Shorty can hold his own in terpsichorean tussle (this \$3.25 phrase intends to convey the idea that as a dancer Mr. Owens is a wow!). As a gymnast and amateur athlete, he cuts no small figure. As is indicated elsewhere, he is a swimmer and skier of note.



Andrew S. Pazsit

"Andy"

A. T. G.

Mansfield, 1908. Poultry. Poultry Club, 1. Baseball Manager, 5.

In a quiet corner, under the brilliant glow of a mazda, is huddled the figure of an earnest youth. A glowing and enthusiastic eye peruses—Poultry! The fountain at Wilder Hall may, perchance, leave its base and walk about but Andy will never leave those volumes wherein are explained the mysteries of B. W. D., etc. More power to you, Andy, for blessed is the man who has found his work.

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Bradley H. Peterson

"Deac" — "Brad"

Worcester, 1905. Pomology.

We wonder if Deac was the subject for Bruce Barton's best seller—"The Man That Nobody Knows," so aloof is he. Cal Coolidge and the Sphinx are positively verbose compared to this chap. Brad certainly has dignity, however, and as for doggedness and fight—"Deac" was right there in the famous hat ruses.



Frank W. Poskitt

"Bucky"

K. K.

Westboro, 1908. Pomology. Football, 1. Class Play.

Bucky is one of those fellows who has missed his vocation. He should have been a public speaker or a minister rather than a pomologist. Bucky is one of our social lights, being well versed in the arts of dancing and escorting fair damsels about the country.



Harold C. Prentiss

"Hal"

Hubbardston, 1908. Pomology. Baseball, 2.

This enterprising business man has earned many a ham sandwich through Dobbin his faithful driver. Hal hotly denies that his car was the one in which Major Seagrave broke all speed records. Unfortunately, Hal is one of those who has taken the two year course in one, so we have had only half of the good times with him that were our due.



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Robert E. Puffer

"Bob"

A. T. G.

Saugus, 1904. Pomology. Student Council, 1, 2; President 3, 4, 5. Treasurer A. T. G., 2.

The adjective "tenacious" easily describes our Titian-haired Titan. Bob can hold his own with any Herculean task—and like it. Presiding over the Student Council and handling committee jobs is "duck soup" for Bob. We have no difficulty in recalling a night when Bob was triumphant in a paddling classic. We will eagerly bet 100 to 1 in the battle: Puffer vs. Pomological Problems.



Howard C. Pulsifer

"Pulley"

A. T. G.

Natick, 1906. Poultry. Wrestling, 1. Student Council, 3, 4, 5. Secretary Poultry Club. Football, 1; Captain, 2. Sergeant-at-Arms A. T. G. Class Play.

Our footfall captain is a product of that historic region "down where the Charles River flows", as the poet puts it. Pulley has other interests than football and it is rumored that he is the rummy champion of the New England states. The pig-skin patriarch has gone in for poultry. Our keen mind sees wonderful advertising possibilities, to wit: "Pulley's Pullets—Poultry at Popular Prices."

The nickname Pulley and the surname of a certain member of the faculty have caused no little confliction in the Poultry Department, but the Pulley-Pushee combination in Aggie Eng. S3 worked wonders.



Henry V. Rabouin

"Rab"

K. K.

Windsor, 1907. Poultry. Baseball, 2. Poultry Club.

Numerous trips over the Berkshire Trail have led us to believe that Henry has a secret that he is trying to hide up in the hills. Other things beside Commencement can happen in June. Here is a quiet, earnest and likeable fellow who is a real friend to those about him. He will go far, either single or attached.

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Alice R. Randall

S. C. S.

Belchertown, 1906. Poultry. Class Secretary, 2. Poultry Club.

"The secretary will now read the minutes of the last meeting." Then up steps Alice and with a pleasant voice, she informs us that Mr. Elliott was elected Prom. Chairman and that the class spurned Mr. Napoli's suggestion of graduating in Tuxes. Alice is a firm backer of the 4-H Club, and we have reasons to believe that said organization should well be proud of Alice for she is earnest, ambitious, and has achieved much as regards agriculture.



Milton Reed 2d

"Milt"

K. K.

Taunton, 1907. General Horticulture.

Milt is always on the go and one never knows what to expect from him next. He will always prick up his ears at the mention of a Ford and says that there is no paper in Taunton like The Gazette. Although he appears as a woman-hater about the campus, we have our doubts as to the truth of that observation when he is in "Taunton." We hand it to Milt.



John C. Ripley

"Rip"

K. K.

South Weymouth, 1907. General Horticulture.

Rip is another man who missed his calling. He has nerve and a way with women that few can come up to. He could make big money if he would write a book on "How I Got Away With It" and sell it in college circles. We expect to hear of him doing landscape work in Hawaii in a few years.



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Gerald B. Roche

"Jerry"

A. T. G.

Charlestown, 1903. Dairy. Football, 1. An. Hus. Club, 1.

The master of the iron horse—the peerless, fearless motorcyclist—that's Jerry. He is also known as the Charlestown Gob, but he is in a fair way to give his town a good name yet. Altho a dairy major, Jerry had nothing to do with that song outrage, "I scream for Ice-Cream."



George J. Rommell

"Smiler"

K. K.

Dorchester, 1908. General Horticulture. Baseball, 2.

Smiler is one of the quiet ones in our midst. Whether or not the old saying applies here we do not know. His humor, sarcasm and poker face will not be forgotten when we part. He is an ardent supporter of that old and famous institution, the "bull session."



Walter T. Shea

A. T. G.

Springfield, 1908. General Horticulture. Corresponding Secretary, A. T. G. Assistant Editor, SHORTHORN. Class Play.

Freud has done much for Walter as have certain other contacts, Times Square and Columbus Circle included. His talents are many and range from globe trotter par excellence through a short but tempestuous career as autoineer to a humorist of no mean merit. The Emerald Isle has given him a quick witted sense of the ludicrous which may be a bit too penetrating at times for one's comfort, but which is always genuine. He knows how to talk and (here we speak out boldly) isn't too reticent. If you want action, watch this atom in a cap rush.

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Alan D. Stackpole

"Stack"

K. K.

Arlington, 1902. Animal Husbandry. Class President, 1, 2. President K. K., 2. Football Manager, 2. Student Council, 3, 4, 5. Editor-in-Chief, SHORTHORN. Class Play. An. Hus. Club.

If you were called upon to meet the Senior Class president, the football manager, the Editor of the SHORTHORN, and one of the principals in the class play, you would expect to shake hands with a half dozen stalwarts—but never fear—you would merely have to seek out "Stack," a half dozen stalwarts rolled into one. He must of necessity have the power and drive of a Dusenberg—and don't fret, my brethren, this lad has it! Of course, Stack has no time for study and consequently only gets out of three out of four finals each term.



Oscar A. Starkweather

"Starkie"

K. K.

Needham, 1908. Horticulture.

Alas! Starkie is one of that very rare species in our midst. Yes—he's married and a proud father, too. Oscar Allen hopes to be the Junior partner in June and become the "big push" of the business. The campus won't be the same with Starkie and the Ford gone.



Cecil G. Stockwell

"Worcester"

Grafton, 1906. Animal Husbandry. An. Hus. Club.

"In one sense or another"—that gives one an idea of Cecil. We should like to hear the story in detail of Cecil and the sheep shears, but, alas! we have questioned our subject, and, I fear me, we shall never know the gory particulars. Here is another Animal Husbandry man, and despite his delicate name he can throw a lot of bull. Now for the most atrocious pun of the year—as an An. Hus. major, Cecil knows and loves his stock well.

P. S. Worcester is president pro-tem of the Non-Fraternity Association.



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D. Kenneth Stowell

"Ken"

K. K.

New Salem, 1907. Pomology. An. Hus. Club.

Who hasn't borne the brunt of one of Ken's tricks during his sojourn at M. A. C.? Those who say "No" have poor memories. Ken is a familiar figure about campus, even as far north as the Abbey. He is a likeable fellow and we wish him well. Ken is the proverbial "Jack of all trades," and has helped dispose of the bills by means of bartering, waiting on table, etc. When a lad is so ambitious, success is inevitable.



Oscar B. Taylor

"Red"

K. K.

Westport, Conn., 1907. Floriculture. Football, 2. Floriculture Club.

"Shorteh—Shorteh—wheah all am mah fuh coat and der-beh hat?" Who speaketh? None other than the pseudo-southerner, Red Taylor. John Held, Jr., also hails from Westport. We wonder if he also uses the Daytona Beach dialect. Red, like Shorty (pronounced Shorteh) is a proud, proud alumnus of Peddie. "Why Peddie is one of the biggest prep schools in the country. Why—" and so on far, far into the night. Red's clothes, accent, and above all, his laugh, have earned for him a prominent place among us.



Arthur W. Wells, Jr.

"Art"

A. T. G.

Dracut, 1908. Horticulture. Hockey.

In any meeting, when the presiding officer says, "Any discussion," there comes a crash as a chair topples over and Arthur William Wells, Jr., rises to his feet and discusses. We like to hear this dynamic orator, however, for Art has color in abundance. Just as the "little green house on K St." figured in the Teapot Dome scandals, so does the "little yellow house on Pleasant Street" play an important part in this Lothario's love-life. Also, let us state that fifty-three students have grown old in the service of answering phone calls for the "perfect lover."

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Herbert A. Wetmore

"Herb" — "Soupy"

A. T. G.

Worcester, 1908. Animal Husbandry. Boxing, 1. An. Hus. Club.

The burning question, Why is our subject called "Soupy"? The SHORTHORN offers a grand prize to anyone who can give us the low-down on this matter. If Soupy isn't the original example of "Happy-Go-Lucky" we are greatly in error. It would take a Mississippi Flood, a Vesuvius eruption and a failure in An. Hus., all rolled into one, to ruffle his equilibrium. Every pilgrim has his Mecca, and not all these centers of attraction coincide. Soupy, for instance braves the mud of Vermont to hang his hat in Bellows Falls.



Philip A. Wilcox

"Phil"

K. K.

Windsor, Vermont, 1905. Poultry. President, Poultry Club.

Phil is a real poultryman. He liked his hens so well that he moved bag and baggage to the poultry plant and played nursemaid to them for two years. He believes in variety, being a product of Vermont, getting his poultry education in Massachusetts, and we fear having New Hampshire as his goal.



Giles H. Willey

"Chub"

K. K.

Essex Junction, Vermont, 1907. Animal Husbandry. Class Treasurer, 1, 2. Treasurer K. K., 2. Secretary and Treasurer Student Council, 2, 3, 4, 5. Advertising Manager, SHORTHORN. An. Hus. Club. Class Play.

Chub will always be remembered as the guardian angel of our chapel cuts. He cherished them more than did we ourselves. With his smooth line and personality he will be able to smile his way through life. "Vermont is the best state, Mister, and as for U. V. M.—"



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Eleanor K. Winkler

"Bob"

S. C. S.

Wakefield, 1908. Floriculture. Secretary, S. C. S. Girls' Basketball, 2. Dramatics, 1.

Ahh! Shh!—Here we have the arch conspirator. When our inhabitants of the Abbey decide to deviate from the monotonous course of events and "raise rim" as we girlishly term it here at the Abbey, who is at the bottom of the dire sinister plotting? None but the subject of this write-up—Eleanor, the Class Cut Up. By some strange caprice she is called Bob, possibly because of her masculine ability when "roughing it" is in order.



Francis D. Wood

"Woody"

K. K.

Northport, Maine, 1907. Floriculture. Floriculture Club.

Woody is rather a quiet chap, but we are inclined to believe that he is hiding his light under a bushel. He has a regular business lined up to fall back on in case people stop growing flowers and—can you tie it?—said business is painting silk scarfs. We are glad to number him among us.



Alfred H. Woodcock

"Al"

Daytona Beach, Fla., 1905. Pomology.

How is it the soapbox orators used to put it? From the rock bound shores of Massachusetts to the golden coast of Florida! Well, it works vice-versa with Al, for he has migrated to the Bay State from Daytona Beach, the land of broken speed records. Most likely our drawling Al will break records some day, for he is of the ambitious type that hitches its wagon to the stellar bodies.

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Harold F. Wyman

"Had"

K. K.

Leominster, 1904. Dairy. Chairman, Social Committee, 2.
Chairman, Rushing Committee. K. K., 2. Class Play.

The Harold Wyman—himself—in person. We envy his gift of gab and also the way in which he draws milk at the Agricultural Tavern when the tank is low. He can get a drink quicker than lots of people who live in houseboats and almost as easily. There is only one "Had."



Frank J. Parrows

"Yabo"

K. K.

Hatfield, 1906. Dairy.

When Yabo came to us he thought that a neckerchief was the head necker in a sorority house, but we have shown him the errors of his thoughts. His blond wavy hair and Hatfield dialect are famous. At present there seems to be a question as to whether he will stay here and make ice-cream or go to South America and grow bananas.



Robert W. Clark

"Bob"

K. K.

Springfield, 1907. Horticulture. Student Council.

Bob is one of those exotic creatures that stand alone. It is written that the mold was destroyed after he was made. Bob is the official cheer and song leader, and his gyrations on the field are quite worthy of note. He is an ardent admirer of the Smith Brothers and will cultivate a beard just as soon as his moustache is well under control, numerous conflagrations and tong wars having retarded its growth.

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List of Graduates

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| RICHARD VARNUM ASHTON | HAROLD EDMUNDS MAYBERRY |
| DANIEL WALLACE BAKER | IRA JOEL MITCHELL |
| ALDEN CHESTER BALLARD | SAMUEL STETSON MITCHELL |
| WARREN ARTHUR BATCHELOR | THOMAS NAPOLI |
| LEROY LEONARD BERGMAN | SIDNEY PARKHURST NELSON |
| BRADFORD HENRY BUTLER | RALPH EDWIN OLSEN |
| ALDEN WILLIAM BUTTERS | ANDREW STEPHEN PAZSIT |
| EILEEN MARY CALLAHAN | BRADLEY HUSTON PETERSON |
| ERROL FRANCIS COOK | FRANK WILLARD POSKITT |
| ARTHUR DESMOND CROWELL | HAROLD CHARLES PRENTISS |
| EBER HAMMOND DAVIS | ROBERT EDWARD PUFFER |
| JOHN BRADFORD DENNETT | HOWARD GEORGE PULSIFER |
| JOHN JOSEPH DOHERTY | HENRY VICTOR RABOIN |
| EUNICE CONSTANCE ELDREDGE | Alice RAVENIA RANDALL |
| GEORGE RAMON ELLIOTT | JOHN CHENEY RIPLEY |
| RICHARD DANIEL FINERTY | GERALD BRENDON ROCHE |
| LUDWIG HOFFMAN | GEORGE JOHN ROMMELL |
| STUART WOODBURY HOVEY | ALAN DOUGLAS STACKPOLE |
| LLOYD WENDELL JEWETT | OSCAR ALLAN STARKWEATHER |
| ERLING CHRISTIAN JOHNSON | CECIL GORDON STOCKWELL |
| CHARLES GOODRICH KELLOGG | DWIGHT KENNETH STOWELL |
| GEORGE WARREN KIMBALL | HERBERT ALSTON WETMORE |
| RUTH EDWINA LARNED | PHILIP ALAN WILCOX |
| CARL PHILIP LARSON | GILES HYMAN WILLEY |
| HARRY LEROY LAWSON | ELEANOR KING WINKLER |
| THOMAS WING LAWSON | FRANCIS DEANE WOOD |
| FRANK LUCE LOPEZ | ALFRED HERBERT WOODCOCK |
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| JOHN CHESLEY MARCHANT | |

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It is inevitable that the number of students graduating with their class shall be smaller than the number that matriculated, due to circumstances which, though unfortunate, are unavoidable. It is to the companions who have left us during our stay here and to the recollections of our pleasant associations that we dedicate this page.

SYDNEY A. BUTCHER

North Amherst. 1896

WILLIAM S. CHASE

South Dartmouth. 1907

RAYMOND D. CLARKE

East Brimfield, 1909

CHARLES N. DENNETT. JR.

Amesbury, 1909

MALCOLM S. EMERY

Foxboro, 1907

SYDNEY J. GOLLIVER

New Haven, Conn., 1905

HERBERT W. GRAHAM

Marlboro, 1908

PAUL A. WOODHEAD

Chelmsford, 1908

SULO JACKSON

Osterville, 1908

ALBERT H. PAGE

Framingham, 1909

GABRIEL A. PHILADELPHUS

Melrose, 1900

JAMES W. POLLARD

North Adams, 1904

MYRTON S. REED

Belmont, 1909

BLANCHE SAUNDERS

Brewster, N. Y., 1906

ISADORA M. WARREN

Westfield, 1907

Who's Who In 1928

Class President	Alan D. Stackpole
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Treasurer	Giles H. Willey
Class Orator	Philip A. Wilcox
Class Prophet	Harold F. Wyman
Class Historian	John B. Dennett
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Chairman Banquet Committee	Carl P. Larson
Chairman Gift Committee	E. Constance Eldredge
President A. T. G.	Samuel S. Mitchell
President S. C. S.	E. Constance Eldredge
President K. K.	Alan D. Stackpole
President Student Council	Robert E. Puffer
Most Popular Prof.	Ralph A. VanMeter
Most Popular Girl	E. Constance Eldredge
Most Popular Man	Alan D. Stackpole
Most Bashful Man	Francis D. Wood
Best Looking Man	Lloyd W. Jewett
Best Athlete	Ralph E. Olsen
Ladies' Man	John C. Ripley
In One Sense Or Another	Cecil Stockwell
Class Baby	Joan Hancock
Biggest Bluffer	Charles G. Kellogg
Sleepiest Man	Herbert A. Wetmore
Cigarette Fiend	Sidney P. Nelson
Most Likely To Succeed	Carl P. Larson
Best Dancer	Albert J. Owens
Most Dignified	Bradley H. Peterson
Optimist	Walter T. Shea
Pessimist	Alfred H. Woodcock
"It"	George R. Elliott
Strong Man	Charles G. Kellogg
"Scotch"	Eber H. Davis

Commencement Program

Thursday May 31, 1928

7.30 P. M. Class Dinner - Hotel Perry

Menu

Fruit Cup		
Cream Tomato Soup		Croutons
	Watermelon Pickles	
Radishes		Olives
Chicken a la Maryland		Franconia Potatoes
	New Green Peas	Rolls
Salad		Corn Fritters, White Sauce
	Fresh Strawberry Sundae	
	Demi-Tasse	

Program

Toastmaster	.	.	.	.	.	.	ALAN D. STACKPOLE
Address	.	.	.	.	.	.	DIRECTOR ROLAND H. VERBECK
Athletics	.	.	.	.	.	.	RALPH E. OLSEN
S. C. S.	.	.	.	.	.	.	E. CONSTANCE ELDREDGE
Address	.	.	.	.	.	.	PRESIDENT ROSCOE W. THATCHER
K. K.	.	.	.	.	.	.	HAROLD W. WYMAN
Shorthorn	.	.	.	.	.	.	WALTER T. SHEA
A. T. G.	.	.	.	.	.	.	SAMUEL S. MITCHELL
Student Council	.	.	.	.	.	.	ROBERT E. PUFFER
Song	.	.	.	.	.	.	THE ALMA MATER

Friday, June 1, 1928

Club Dances



Commencement Program—Continued

Saturday June 2, 1928

10.00 A. M. Class Day Exercises, Memorial Hall.

Class History—JOHN DENNETT

Class Prophecy—HAROLD W. WYMAN

Class Oration—PHILIP A. WILCOX

11.30 A. M. Alumni Business Meeting

1.30 P. M. Alumni Luncheon, Draper Hall

3.00 P. M. Baseball Game

Alumni vs. 2-Year

8.00 P. M. Class Play, Bowker Auditorium

Sunday June 3, 1928

10.00 A. M. Baccalaureate Sermon, Bowker Auditorium

REV. JOHN H. GRANT, Fairfield, Conn.

4.00—5.00 P. M. President's Reception, Memorial Hall.

Monday June 4, 1928

10.00 A. M. Commencement Exercises

Presentation of Certificates—

President ROSCOE W. THATCHER

9.00 P. M. Commencement Prom, Memorial Hall

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MILDRED F. BRIDGES	Sergeant-at-Arms

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CLARA L. DILLAWAY	LOUISE M. KOCH
MARGARET HERRON	FRANCES SHERBURNE
AGNES N. SULLIVAN	



S. C. S.

As the time approaches when we will be alumnae too, we cannot help but think of the work of the past year and judgment must be passed as to our success or failure.

A small but select few bore the brunt of our not too severe initiation, held off-campus for the first time, after we had become thoroughly acquainted at a tea given for our willing victims.

To replenish our not overstocked treasury we made and sold fudge to our classmates of discrimination, who bought and called for more.

Due to crowded conditions in the Abbey some of our members lived off-campus and for their benefit we changed the time of our meetings from the evening to the afternoon.

The advent of leap year could not pass without appropriate celebration, so we held a leap year costume dance, well attended and very successful.

With half of our number leaving for the more or less tedious practical training, we attended a banquet held at Bates Inn, resurrecting a custom for the first time since 1925.

A farewell party left, we hope, a pleasant memory of seniors who will not be present at the next roll-call, but who hope, as our seniors have done, to return often during the coming year and re-awaken memories for old times' sake.

With promises of numerous letters, well filled to date, our freshmen left us, still inspired by the ideals and aims of the S. C. S. which we have endeavored to impart to them, and we rest secure in the knowledge that they will be worthily carried on.

Kolony Klub





Kolony Klub

Colors: Orange and Black

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In years to come we will look back upon the past year and recall the many events in which the members of Kolony Klub participated.

Our first real responsibility, of course, was the rushing of freshmen and this part of the program was well started with smokers and socials at the house. The freshmen will admit that we were good to them until the selected group had signed on the dotted line, but from then on we impressed our wishes on them in an unmistakable fashion. The most anticipated affair of the year, for the freshmen at least, was the initiation banquet held at Draper Hall, because it marked the end of senior hostilities.

One cold and stormy night, the "Hyhats" and "Inquisitors" surprised us with an impromptu party that no one will forget. Many of us discovered our ability as orators that evening and earned for ourselves lasting nick-names.

However, all good things must end, and the freshmen's stay with us ended with the Farewell Banquet which was held at the Hotel Perry. The "Hyhats" again surprised us with another party after the banquet in honor of The Goddess.

Spring term began and before we realized it Commencement was upon us. With it came our one big social event of the year, the Prom House Dance. Everyone will agree that it was the best of the year.

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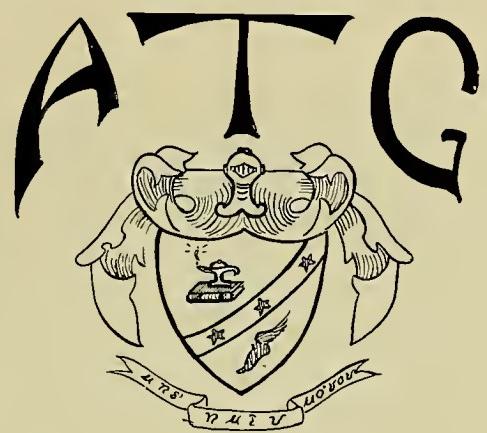
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 CHARLES JOSEPH FLAVIN
 JAMES DELBERT FLEMING
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 KENNETH BATCHELDER GRAVES
 GEORGE WILMARHT HERO
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 DONALD FRANCIS TOWNSEND
 LINCOLN WHITE
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A. T. G.

Colors: Green and Gold

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WALTER T. SHEA	Corresponding Secretary
ARTHUR W. WELLS, JR.	Doorkeeper
HOWARD G. PULSIFER	Sergeant-at-Arms



History of A. T. G.

On the first night of our return to the campus, a small but dynamic nucleus gathered together in the meeting room of A. T. G. to lay plans for the ensuing year. Even the most optimistic of us could not predict the success that was to be ours during that time. A smoker was planned for the freshmen at which light banter, coruscating witticisms and grave wisdom were hurled at the neophytes without discrimination. Card games and the time honored refreshments of cider and doughnuts were the order of the day. That our advances met with response was evidenced by the fact that thirty yearlings pledged themselves and accordingly were duly initiated—(as the current colloquialism has it—"and how!").

A house party was held at the Women's Club House and our social lions claimed it to be a classic. A second rushing season held near Christmas time netted a dozen more freshmen. During the winter term, the club, augmented by so many frosh prospered to no mean degree, and a basketball team representing the fraternity performed nobly, its work in the inter-fraternity league being gratifying indeed. With the co-operation of the Kolony Klub a delightful inter-frat dance was put on. As placement training time drew near, a banquet was held and officers for the coming term were elected.

The responsibility for next year rests on the broad shoulders of Hermie Hoyt as president, assisted by Jim Woodger, vice-president, Jack Hall, secretary, and Ed Hobart as treasurer. The club members are to be congratulated on their fine judgment in selecting these boys.

A small group of seniors was left after the exodus of the frosh, and much hilarity was enjoyed by this group. A smoker given to the members of Kolony Klub preceded the commencement activities of the organization, where at the Class of '28 A. T. G. completed their school life with the pep and gusto that characterized their two-year stay.

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RICHARD VARNUM ASHTON
WARREN ARTHUR BATCHELOR
LEROY LEONARD BERGMAN
BRADFORD HENRY BUTLER
ALDEN WILLIAM BUTTERS
ERROL FRANCIS COOK
ARTHUR DESMOND CROWELL
EBER HOWARD DAVIS
GEORGE RAMON ELLIOTT
STUART WOODBURY HOVEY
ERLING CHRISTIAN JOHNSON
GEORGE WARREN KIMBALL
THOMAS WING LAWSON
FRANK LUCE LOPES

JOHN WESLEY MACINTYRE
LEWIS HENRY MADDOCKS
IRA JOEL MITCHELL
SAMUEL STETSON MITCHELL
THOMAS NAPOLI
RALPH EDWIN OLSON
ANDREW STEPHEN PAZSIT
ROBERT EDWARD PUFFER
HOWARD GEORGE PULSIFER
GERALD BRENDON ROCHE
WALTER THOMAS SHEA
ARTHUR WILLIAM WELLS
HERBERT ALSTON WETMORE

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GEORGE CHELSEA BEALS
JOSEPH CHISHOLM BAXTER
RUSSELL PENTECOST BLACKINTON, JR.
ARTHUR RAMSDALE BLACKWELL
JAMES FRANCIS BROWN
THURL DRYDEN BROWN
WINSOR CARGILL BROWN
HARRY LESTER BURNHAM
FRANCIS HENRY BURT
OLIVER FRANKLIN CHENEY
DENIS CROWLEY, JR.
LYSLEFORD ARTHUR DIBBLE
CLIFFORD WALEN DOANE
JOHN MARTIN EYBERSE
EDWARD THOMAS FAY
ALBERT HENRY FULLER
HENRY GRAF, JR.

ALBERT MELVILLE GREENE
JOHN WOODBURY HALL
EDWARD PICKERING HOBART
HERMAN FRANCIS HOYT
GORDON CHESLEY HULBERT
PAUL HAYNES KELLEY
EMILIO ANTHONY MASCIOCCHI
WILLIAM WILSON MCINTIRE
FRANK ANTHONY MONGILLO
LEON HOLCOMB NOBLE
LEONARD RAYMOND PARKINSON
NICHOLAS BELMONT RUSSO
PETER SKOVRON
CLARENCE EUGENE STEVENS
GORDON WORTH WESTON
JAMES HENRY WOODGER
RALPH PRESTON YOUNG



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Class Play

"THIS WOMAN BUSINESS"

By BENN W. LEVY

Synopsis—A brilliant English comedy based on the perennially interesting subject of misogyny, filled with clever lines, witty dialogue and a lively interplay of well-diversified characters. The plot concerns five men who are banded together by their hatred of women. Into this Eveless Eden comes one woman who confesses that she is a thief and tells them to send for the police. But they do not and she stays. For the remaining two acts one woman upsets all the theories propounded by the worthy five. The result is an amusing comedy and a delicate satire.

CAST

(In order of appearance)

Hodges	-	-	-	-	-	Howard G. Pulsifer
Honey	-	-	-	-	-	Errol F. Cook
Nettlebank	-	-	-	-	-	Eileen Callahan
Crofts	-	-	-	-	-	Giles H. Willey
Brown	-	-	-	-	-	Harold F. Wyman
Bingham	-	-	-	-	-	Alan D. Stackpole
Trent	-	-	-	-	-	Walter T. Shea
Crawford	-	-	-	-	-	E. Constance Eldredge
Addleshaw	-	-	-	-	-	Frank Poskitt



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Glee Club

Through the interest and efforts of some of the students a new activity was instituted this year in the organizing of a Glee Club. Warren A. Batchelor was elected President, and an Executive Board was appointed, consisting of Bradford Butler, George Kimball and Fred Moore.

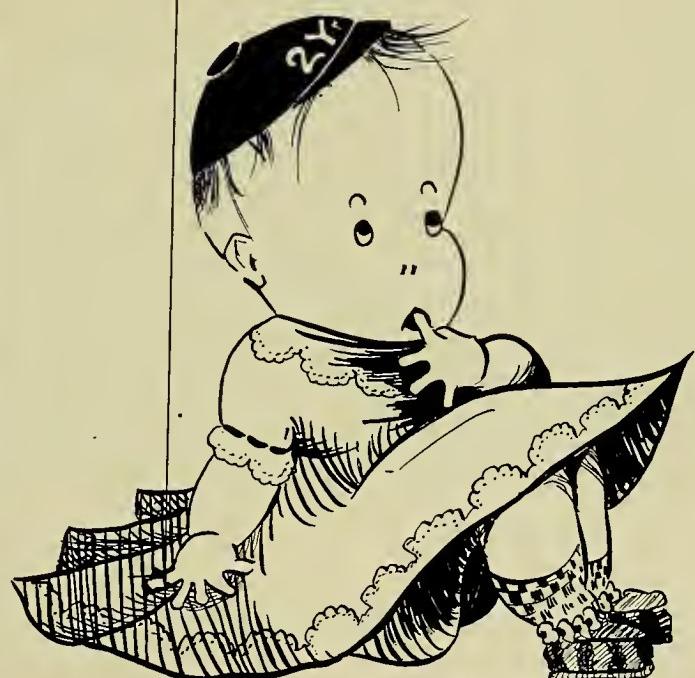
Mr. Alexander Rickter was secured as director, and upon return from Christmas vacation, rehearsals began with about forty members present.

Progress was slow at first because of the inability of many of the members to read music. However this was slowly overcome, with the result that by the middle of March a fine organization had been molded.

At this time the freshmen members left for placement training, dropping our membership to about twenty-five. With the seniors attending faithfully and giving spirited support progress continued.

The preliminary stage having been passed through, we feel confident that the succeeding classes will keep alive the interest and strive for the incorporation of musical presentation with the Commencement exercises.

Greshmen



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Class Officers, 1928

President, HENRY GRAF, JR.

*Vice-President, ELBRIDGE F. BELDEN Secretary, AGNES M. SULLIVAN
Treasurer, FRED S. MOORE*

The Villager's Tale

One dark, stormy night the Yokelville male citizenry was assembled in Hank Hicks' combination General Store, Post Office and Hotel around the sputtering stove, boasting as usual. This particular evening the bone of contention was education. Finally after each braggart had exhausted his real and imaginary source of learning, Hiram Judkins' high falsetto voice broke through their heavy silence with an introductory hem and haw and he forthwith held his cronies spellbound and gaping.

"Waal fellers, mebbe I ain't got nothin' much on you, but I got a cousin down Amherst way who went ter school even after he got outer the grades.

He tells as how he was one of 'em as entered the Two-Years Course at the Massachusetts Agricultural College—guess that's it—in 1927, and they was purty nigh onter a million or mebbe a hundred and thirty-two who started with him.

"The first day he says they was durn near flabbergasted, the place was so big, by gum, there bein' so many buildin's for 'em stretched all over the campus, and billions of other kids, too.

"Seems ter me I heard Aloysius say he went to a number of shindigs up there—receptions, dances, and the like. He said they was al'ays gettin' together now'n again specially ter the football games, and almost lost their voices yellin'. The boys got up a hockey team, and he never see'd the like of the way those fellers could travel on skates—some game that!

"They all stuck together like glue through every scrap. Besides these games, they played others as all of us useter do, and gosh, the co-eds (that's what the girls are named up there) were in some sorta thing, rifle team, think that's what they call it by. Guess girls ain't left out of nothin', now a days.

"An' say, lemme tell ya somethin' right here! They held a real votin' thing, election 'twas, and by crackee, they certainly did purty well. I reckon they was afeared my cousin Aloysius was too smart ter lead 'em, so instead the head of the class was Henry Graf, and his sub was Elbridge Belden. Agnes Sullivan kept account, whilst Fred Moore passed the hat. Not half bad, 'eh?

"Sure, they had clubs. Seems though they al'ays went by initials. There was two fraternities, seems ter me, called the A. T. G. and the K. K. Don't know much 'bout 'em, but Aloysius was al'ays writing' home sayin' his fraternity was havin' a meetin' or doin' somethin' or ruther. 'Member cousin says the S. C. S. (that's the girls' society) held a right good Costume Dance, too.

"Waal comin' along March the fellers and girls was sent out on diff'rent farms for placement work, think 'twas, but I 'spect they'll all be back in the Fall ready ter fill the seniors' shoes.

"Reckon 'Liza wants me ter home now, boys, but next time I'll tell yer more about how they came out as graduates an' all the rest. Before I go whaddya say to a cheer like they done? Ready! Set! Go! Rah! Rah! Rah! for the Class of 1929! Whoopee!"

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- ASELTIME, MERRITT L., JR.
Mittineague, 1908
- ASHWORTH, SERVETUS T., JR.
Westboro, 1908
- BARNES, HOWARD D.
Roslindale, 1910
- BAXTER, JOSEPH C.
Dorchester, 1909
- BEALS, GEORGE C.
New Britain, Conn., 1908
- BELDEN, ALLEN M., JR.
Springfield, 1907
- BELDEN, ELBRIDGE F.
Woburn, 1908
- BLACKINTON, RUSSELL P., JR.
Chepachet, R. I., 1909
- BLACKWELL, ARTHUR R.
Wellesley Hills, 1907
- BOOTHY, LLOYD M.
Randolph, 1909
- BRACKLEY, KENNETH M.
Strong, Maine, 1909
- BRAUN, ROBERT
Holliston, 1909
- BROOKS, GEORGE N.
Allston, 1909
- BROWN, JAMES F.
Lowell, 1903
- BROWN, THURL D.
Danvers, 1908
- BROWN, WINSOR C.
North Attleboro, 1907
- BURNHAM, HARRY L.
West Springfield, 1908
- BURT, FRANCIS H.
Vineyard Haven, 1910
- BUTLER, ARTHUR A.
Dedham, 1910
- CAGNEY, THOMAS G.
Manchester, 1909
- CHENEY, OLIVER F.
Framingham, 1908
- CONNELL, ARTHUR J.
Jamaica Plain, 1909
- COTTRELL, MERTON A.
Chester, 1909
- COUTU, WILFRED L.
North Cambridge, 1906
- CRISSMAN, JOSEPH R.
Punxsutawney, Pa., 1908
- CROWLEY, DENIS, JR.
Quincy, 1907
- DIBBLE, LYSLEFORD A.
West Springfield, 1928
- DILLAWAY, CLARA L.
Newton Highlands, 1909
- DOANE, CLIFFORD W.
Manchester, 1909
- DUNKLEE, LEON L.
South Hadley Falls, 1906
- ELDRIDGE, KEITH G.
Sagamore, 1908
- Ewart, THOMAS L.
Newton Highlands, 1908
- ENGELMAN, HAROLD M.
Pittsfield, 1908
- EYBERSE, JOHN M.
Manchester, 1909
- FAHEY, LAWRENCE J.
Easthampton, 1909
- FARMER, ROBERT L. W.
Tewksbury, 1908
- FAY, EDWARD T.
Dorchester, 1906
- FLAVIN, CHARLES J.
Whately, 1910
- FLEMING, JAMES D.
Ashland, N. H., 1908
- FOORD, BETTY L.
Amherst, 1909
- FRANKLIN, PAUL L.
Springfield, 1903
- FRENCH, WILLIAM B.
Granby, 1908

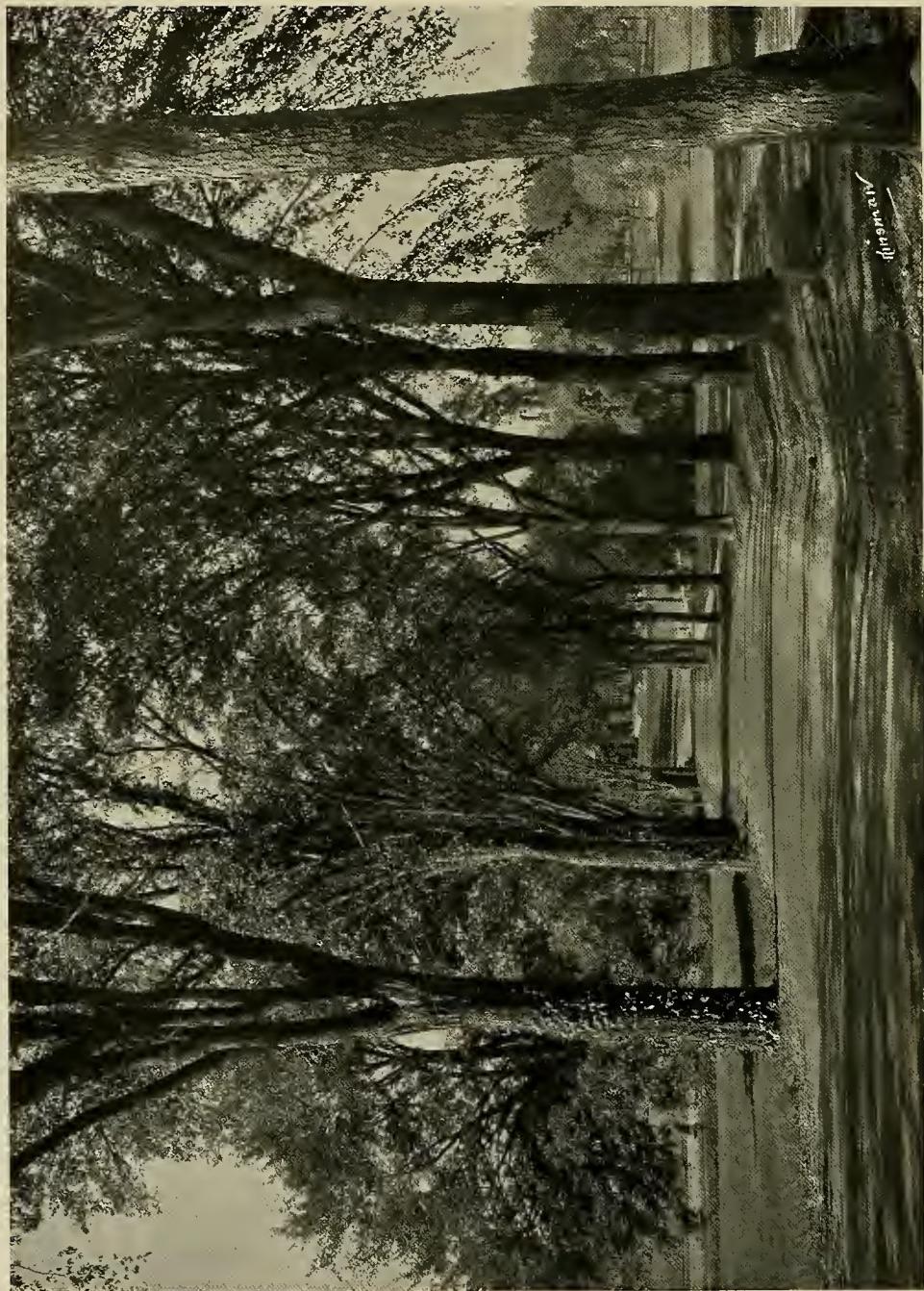
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- FULLER, ALBERT H.
Ludlow, 1908
- GALE, JOHN H.
Tewksbury, 1909
- GALLAGHER, EDWARD F.
Lenox, 1906
- GILLIS, ARCHIE J.
Manchester, 1908
- GORHAM, EDWARD F.
South Braintree, 1909
- GRAF, HENRY, JR.
Newburyport, 1909
- GRAVES, KENNETH B.
Conway, 1910
- GREENE, ALBERT M.
Ashland, 1909
- GREENOUGH, HARRY W.
Fitchburg, 1907
- HALL, BERTRAND A.
Amherst, 1908
- HALL, JOHN W.
Ballardvale, 1910
- HARTNESS, HENRY J.
Sutton, 1908
- HEMPEL, EDWARD C.
Blackstone, 1910
- HERMANN, WILLIAM T.
Newton Centre, 1909
- HERRON, MARGARET
Greenfield, 1908
- HERO, GEORGE W.
Westboro, 1906
- HOBART, EDWARD P.
Duxbury, 1909
- HOLDER, EBEN D.
Berlin, 1907
- HOYT, HERMAN F.
Newton, 1909
- HULBERT, GORDON C.
Holliston, 1910
- JOSLIN, ELLIOTT P., JR.
Oxford, 1908
- KELLEY, MILTON E.
Ashland, N. H., 1908
- KELLEY, PAUL H.
Orange, 1907
- KENDRICK, EARLE S.
Everett, 1907
- KING, LEWIS E.
North Brookfield, 1910
- KOCH, LOUISE M.
Turners Falls, 1907
- LELAND, ROBERT A.
East Bridgewater, 1910
- LINCOLN, GEORGE T.
Barre, 1909
- LYMAN, DONALD B.
Westhampton, 1909
- MASCIOCCHI, EMILIO A.
Roxbury, 1909
- MAYO, WALTER H.
East Orleans, 1908
- MCCARTHY, GEORGE W.
Northampton, 1908
- MC CONVILL, WILLIAM
New Bedford, 1907
- MC INTIRE, WILLIAM W.
Lowell, 1909
- MONGILLO, FRANK A.
Southington, Conn., 1909
- MOORE, FRED S. JR.
Brighton, 1903
- NEWTON, PHILIP A.
Somerville, 1906
- NOBLE, LEON H.
East Hartford, Conn., 1906
- OSGOOD, GARDNER S.
North Dartmouth, 1909
- PARKER, CARL I.
South Lancaster, 1910
- PARKER, JOHN B.
Brookfield, 1906
- PARKINSON, LEONARD R.
Springfield, 1909
- PARKS, STILLMAN H.
Gloucester, 1906
- PELLETT, LEONARD A.
Gardner, 1908

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| PERKINS, FRANK R. | STEARNS, GEORGE I. |
| Lexington, 1909 | Carlisle, 1908 |
| PETTIJOHN, LOUISE V. | STEVENS, CLARENCE E. |
| Amherst, 1906 | Marlboro, 1909 |
| PHELPS, NOEL C. | STEVENS, THORNTON |
| Lexington, 1909 | Norwood, 1907 |
| PHILBRICK, RICHARD S. | STONE, RALPH E. JR. |
| Woburn, 1907 | Beverly, 1906 |
| PIERCE, LORIN E. | SULLIVAN, AGNES N. |
| Athol, 1908 | Palmer, 1909 |
| PIPER, ALBERT E. | SYLVIA, JOSEPH F. |
| Holden, 1909 | Mattapoisett, 1909 |
| PRATT, CLARENCE A. | TINKHAM, CHARLES W. |
| Bernardston, 1903 | North Bennington, Vt., 1909 |
| REES, EMILY, M. | TOWNSEND, DONALD |
| Amherst, 1906 | Salem, 1908 |
| ROBBINS, WIGHT L. | VANNORMAN, LOUIS E. |
| Belfast, Maine, 1906 | Washington, D. C., 1907 |
| ROBISON, WILLIAM E. JR. | WEBB, GEORGE N. |
| Holyoke, 1905 | Stonington, Maine, 1908 |
| ROUNDY, GLENN H. | WESTON, GORDON W. |
| North Billerica, 1910 | Cambridge, 1907 |
| RUSSO, NICHOLAS B. | WHITE, KENNETH B. |
| Fitchburg, 1908 | West Hawley, 1908 |
| SHERBURNE, FRANCES | WHITE, LINCOLN |
| Concord, 1908 | Abington, 1909 |
| SHERMAN, RICHMOND M. | WITHERELL, W. CLAYTON |
| Southbridge, 1908 | Taunton, 1906 |
| SKOVRON, PETER | WITT, LOUIS A. |
| Newburyport, 1910 | North Brookfield, 1908 |
| SMEAD, HAROLD L. | WOODGER, JAMES H. |
| Greenfield, 1909 | Sheffield, 1908 |
| SMITH, AUSTIN J. | YOUNG, RALPH P. |
| South Londonderry, Vt., 1901 | Brookfield, 1909 |
| SMITH, JOHN F. | YOUNG, ROBERT A. |
| Westboro, 1910 | Norton, 1909 |
| SNELL, ALWYN G. | |
| Brockton, 1907 | |

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By special arrangement with the departments concerned, we are pleased to print the following examination for those interested.

AGRONOMY HUSBANDRY

Quiz No. .007198.

1. How, if no scales were available, could the length of a hatching egg be determined by using an 18 grain test bottle that had been subjected to a high degree of pigmentation in the manner prescribed by Farrington?
2. If the amount of available humus in a barrel of dry undrained muck exceeds the liters weight of the organic matter in several liters of chipped beef, how could the necessary amount of lime be applied to sandy loam if the coulter on the manure spreader was set to plow a furrow 8 inches in depth? (If the negative is true, could the answer be used as an ample excuse to throw broken glass in the laboratory sinks?)
3. On a field trip, assuming that it was raining, how could the apples of any poultry plant owner be pilfered in a manner that would not lower the B. F. test of his 28 egg per month flock if the tile drains were plugged on three ends? (At some later date, an experiment of this nature will be undertaken. In case of snow, exercises will be held in the basement of the Drill Hall.)
4. Could an average lactometer reading of 6% be continued in case of hail if the operator of the test was killed by exposure to 2/3 of the run off water from three roofs of any given number of large size orchards that have a growth of buckwheat as a cover crop? (In case of rain, the funeral will be held on the following month.)
5. Draw a diagram showing the common factors which influence the spread of head type disease and all the ways it may be cured by use of egg laying contests. (If no roosters are available, disregard the topography.)
6. Why is soil formed in milk?
7. Is the slope of the Pin Bones determined by the acidity of whey or its equivalent?
8. Give the average B. F. test for any given number of Southdown cows if the pigmentation has been found only in the teeth.
9. If tile drainage is applied to cows giving an average of 21,000 lbs. of $2\frac{1}{4}$ milk per year, will the B. F. be increased or will the bacteria be decreased? How is this accounted for?
10. How many pounds of Merrimac fine silt clay must be applied to 716,499 square grams of skim milk testing 6% B. F. to produce milk equal in texture to that sold in Chelsea on July 30?
11. Why must the lime used to neutralize acid soil be first subjected to pulverization by means of the Babcock tactometer, if the cream test bottles cannot be found? (This question is optional, and should be answered yes or no.)



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12. How may the tilth of Cheddar Cheese be found if the B. F. test exceeds the lactometer reading, and if so why?

13. How, by use of 7 inch. dividers, may the length of the pelvic arch of the lowest producing Jernsey on record be determined if the first four primaries in the next door neighbor's goat are not yet fully developed. N. B. This answer may be carried out three places and written in cubic centimeters.

14. How many pullets are needed to produce a certain number of eggs some cold day? If the eggs have an acidity test of over 79, two eggs are counted as one in the case of broken ones.

JOKES

Wyman—Cheer up, old man, remember that the first year of married life is the hardest.

Starkweather—Yeh, I suppose after that they make the rolling pins softer.

Ashton—Can you tell me what a pauper is?

Lopes—Sure. A pauper is what the newsboy delivers every morning.

Prof. Lentz—How much will a beef liver weigh?

Cecil—Twenty-five pounds.

Prof. Lentz—Isn't that too much?

Cecil—Well, they weigh that much in Worcester.

Wetmore—I am going to have to stop drinking coffee for breakfast.

Lawson—Why so?

Wetmore—I can't sleep in any of my classes any more.

If you are Scotch don't boast about it—you are wasting your breath.

Ripley—Girls were harder to kiss in your day, weren't they Grandpa?

Grandpa—Maybe, but it was not so blamed dangerous in them days--the old parlor sofa wouldn't smash into a tree just about that time.

Preacher—Will you have this woman to be your wedded wife?

Wood—What do you suppose I came here for?

Pulsifer—When did Washington take his first ride?

Dick—'Twas when he took a hack at the cherry tree.

Wetmore—Shall I take you to the zoo?

Stockwell—No. If they want me, they'll come after me.



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Prof. French (standing on some wet mucky soil)—Why would you plant pears on this ground?

Poskitt—So that they will be juicy.

Hoffman—How do you know she is a lady?

Nelson—Oh, 'cause when I necked her she made me take off my hat.

Yarrows—Have you ever met the only girl you could be happy with?

Wyman—Yeah, lots of them.

WHAT WOULD HAPPEN IF—

Sid didn't argue or spill soup?

Ripley didn't talk in his sleep?

Soup didn't wear a poker face?

Walter paid his fare to New York?

Chub was seen on a date?

Stack stayed home two nights running?

Pulsifer was quiet in *one* class?

Cookie was a pessimist?

Connie lost her pep?

Pete should forget his dignity?

Puffer changed his mind?

THOUGHTS OF A GRIND

They're going to the movies,

I'd like to join them too;

But I came here to study

And I've "Rural Soc" to do.

The gang is playing rummy,

I'd like to join the game;

But the way I neglect my Genetics

Is quite a crying shame.

They're selling tickets for the dance,

They wish me to attend;

But I'd better finish that reference book

For I've assignments without end.

I've no final exams to take,

I'm dying to step out;

But the gang are finding their studies hard

And I've got to help them out.

Athletics



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Football Team

A week before school began, about twenty men reported to Coach Ball, sessions being held three times daily. With the opening of classes, the squad was increased considerably. The team was captained by Howard G. Pulsifer, and Alan D. Stackpole was chosen as Manager.

Vermont Academy 32—M. A. C. 2-yr. 12

A trip to Sacton River for the opening game of the season resulted in a loss. Our green team showed offensive ability, however, by scoring two touchdowns after Vermont had made 19 points in the first five minutes of play. Slowness in getting started, and the greater experience of our opponents were too great to overcome.

Williston Academy 33—M. A. C. 2-yr. 0

A fruitless journey to Easthampton resulting in a clear-cut victory for our opponents. This was due in part to the removal of Sam Mitchell because of injury, and the incompetency of a substitute center, no score having been made up to the time of the substitution. During the first half we kept the ball in their territory most of the time, but many fumbles later in the game spelled our defeat.

Trinity College Freshmen 0—M. A. C. 2-yr. 25

This game proved that our team was rounding into form, and showing driving power as well as close defensive work. A fighting spirit was instilled



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into the team as the boys had promised to bring back the football to Coach Ball, who was ill at home.

M. A. C. Freshmen 0—M. A. C. 2-yr. 0

This game was the talk of the campus, and the attendance was large. The many prophesies of defeat for us were not realized, however, as our line was impenetrable, the frosh backs being stopped consistently. At the very beginning we took the offensive and threatened continually, reverting to defensive play during the last half. A thrilling game, and well-played all the way.

Pittsfield High School 6—M. A. C. 2-yr. 13

A well rewarded trip to Pittsfield, with our team playing its best brand of football. Repeated gains by Olsen, Graf, and Crissman, combined with real defensive work by the line, kept the ball in Pittsfield territory most of the time. Pittsfield fought hard to come back, but we were not to be denied.

Deerfield Academy 32—M. A. C. 2-yr. 7

The hardest fought game of the season without our team out-weighed, and most of the boys playing the full game, while our opponents substituted freely. Our only score came as a result of a recovered fumble by Brad Butler, who ran 30 yards for a touchdown.

This team was a great improvement over last year's, and it was made up of practically all green men, only two letter-men returning this fall. With good seasoned material as a nucleus, '29 should have a successful season.

W. Brown was elected Captain, and Parkinson Manager for next season.

The team: L. E., Cheney; L. T., Pulsifer (captain); L. G., Taylor; C., Mitchell; R. G., Dibble; R. T., Brown; R. E., Butler; Q., Graf; R. H., Sylvia; L. H., Crissman and Pellett; F. B., Olsen; Subs.: Line, Napoli, Kellogg, Skovron, White, Greene, Ashworth, Ashton, Connell, Stevens; Backs, Farmer, Gillis, Hall, and Hulbert.

Insignia were awarded to the following: Howard G. Pulsifer, '28, of Natick; Bradford H. Butler, '28, of Agawam; and Ralph E. Olsen, '28, of Belmont.

The following received sweaters as well as insignia: Samuel S. Mitchell, '28, of Salem; Thomas Napoli, '28, of Lexington; Oscar B. Taylor, '28, of Westport, Conn.; Joseph Sylvia, '29, of Mattapoisett; Henry Graf, Jr., '29, of Newburyport; Lysleford Dibble, '29, of West Springfield; Oliver F. Cheney, '29, of Framingham; Winsor C. Brown, '29, of North Attleboro; Leonard Pellett, '29, of Gardner.

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Basketball Team

Directly after the Christmas vacation about forty candidates reported to Coach Ball, and under his direction a good team was molded. The team was captained by Alden W. Butters, and managed by Frank L. Lopes.

Arms Academy 15—M. A. C. 2-yr. 28

A fine start with the team showing up well as a unit. Some polishing needed, but proving that we have real scoring power.

Hopkins Academy 18—M. A. C. 2-yr. 25

The team still working well. Hopkins led 5—3 at the end of the first half, but with Fleming leading the attack, we came back to win decisively.

Smiths Academy 12—M. A. C. 2-yr. 33

Another clean victory with Fleming and Olsen leading the offense, and Captain Butters fine at guard. Our game all the way.

South Deerfield High School 27—M. A. C. 2-yr. 24

A fast and exciting game in which our slowness in getting started, and the superior basket shooting by our opponent forwards, combined to defeat us.

New Salem Academy 19—M. A. C. 2-yr. 9

Our utility men started this game and were on the short end of a 14—11 score at the first half. Our regulars went in and proceeded to tally at will and win handily.



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Pittsfield High School 33—M. A. C. 2-yr. 23

The visitors amassed 18 points to our reserves' 4 in the first half, which proved too much for the regulars to overcome.

Amherst High School 5—M. A. C. 2-yr. 48

Our opponents were greatly outclassed, making only one goal from the floor. Fleming and Kelley led our attack.

Middlesex Pre-Medical 19—M. A. C. 2-yr. 23

A very evenly contested game with our superior offense carrying us to a win in the last half. Fleming again led the scoring.

Sacred Heart High School 31—M. A. C. 2-yr. 15

The first game on a strange, larger floor and slowness in getting started were accountable for our defeat. A hard-fought and closely contested game.

Deerfield Academy 48—M. A. C. 2-yr. 30

A visit to Deerfield resulting in a defeat for us. The first half was played on even terms, but during the second half our opponents tallied consistently.

Turners Falls High School 48—M. A. C. 2-yr. 37

A very fast game in which both teams scored freely. The weakening of our defense in the last half caused our defeat.

Smith Agricultural School 11—M. A. C. 2-yr. 35

A grand finale for the season, the team going fast with Olsen leading the attack. The utility men played most of the game and made a fine showing.

The team: C., Fleming; R. G., Butters (captain); L. G., Pellett; L. G., Kelley; R. F., Olsen; Subs: Napoli, Mayo, and Woodger.

Insignia were awarded to the following: Alden W. Butters, '28, of Natick; Ralph E. Olsen, '28, of Belmont; Leonard Pellett, '29, of Gardner.

The following received sweaters as well as insignia: James Fleming, '29, of Ashland, N. H.; Milton Kelley, '29, of Ashland, N. H.

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Hockey Team

Because of the interest shown, and the recognition gained last year, Hockey became installed as a major sport. As soon as the ice was in good condition, about twenty men reported to Coach Briggs. The team was captained by Lewis H. Maddocks, Jr., and Samuel S. Mitchell was chosen Manager.

A schedule of ten games was prepared but due to the extremely queer weather, the ice being in poor condition, seven of these were cancelled.

Greenfield High School 2—M. A. C. 2-yr. 1

A trip to Greenfield for our opening game. A fast one with our forward line peppering the goal consistently, and our defense working well. The score was 1—1 at the end of the second period, but in the last period the puck was shot through a hole in the side of our net, counting as a tally, because the goal referee would not change his decision. Arguing was of no avail, so we accepted the decision, hoping for a return game, which was not realized.

Deerfield Academy 1—M. A. C. 2-yr. 2

Our objective game of the season, and one replete with thrills, both forward lines threatening their opponents' goal continually. In the first period, both defenses were impenetrable, no score being made. Our forward line organized in the second period with the result that 2 goals were scored. Our opponents fought hard to come back in the last period, their efforts being rewarded with one goal. A good game with a very gratifying ending.

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Cushing Academy 2—M. A. C. 2-yr. 1

A long trip to Ashburnham, and the game played during a driving snow storm. Both teams were severely handicapped, but it was a fast game from start to finish. Cushing tallied in the first period, and we countered a few minutes later. No score was made in the next period. The last period was nip and tuck, until with only a few seconds to play, our opponents with a well arranged attack, eliminated our defense and scored. A well-organized team and a fine one to keep on our schedule.

Two practice games, against a team composed of half varsity and half freshmen were played, and in which we broke even, winning one 1—0, and losing the other by the same score.

The class of '29 with a team built around Hennie Graf, a fast forward, and Hermie Hoyt, a hard-skating center, with good material in Gillis, Eyberse, Skovron, W. Brown, T. Brown, and Masciocchi should have a successful season.

Graf was elected Captain, and Beals Manager for next season.

The team: C., Hoyt; R. W., Graf; L. W., Maddocks (captain); R. D., Gillis; L. D., Kimball; Goal, Batchelor; Subs: Eyberse, Masciocchi, Skovron, W. Brown, T. Brown, and Stevens.

Henry Graf, Jr., '29, of Newburyport, received insignia.

The following received sweaters and insignia: Lewis H. Maddocks, Jr., '28, of Dracut; George W. Kimball, '28, of Littleton; Warren A. Batchelor, '28, of Stoughton; Herman F. Hoyt, '29, of Newton.



Baseball Team

In the latter part of March, the battery candidates were called out and practiced daily to get into condition. With the close of spring vacation, the remainder of the squad reported to Coach Briggs. Andrew Pazsit was elected Manager. Practice sessions are being held daily, and the team should give a good account of itself.

A number of injuries have occurred to rob the team of some very good material, but it is hoped that they will be back in the ranks shortly.

The Line-up:

Catcher—Marchant

Third Base—Maddocks, Davis

Pitcher—Butters, Davis

Right Field—Lawson, T.

First Base—Olsen

Center Field—Stowell, Coog

Second Base—Davis, Baker

Left Field—Dennett, Johnson

Shortstop—Kimball, Lopes

Substitutes: Doherty, c.; Hoffman, c. f.; Mayberry, p.; Pulsifer, 2d.

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The Schedule:

April 23	Northampton	M. A. C.
April 27	Vermont Academy	M. A. C.
April 30	Hopkins Academy	Hadley
May 1	Amherst	M. A. C.
May 4	Newburyport	M. A. C.
May 8	Smith Aggie	M. A. C.
May 16	Turners Falls	Turners Falls
May 17	South Deerfield	South Deerfield
May 21	Smith Academy	Hatfield
May 25	Sacred Heart	M. A. C.
June 2	Alumni	M. A. C.

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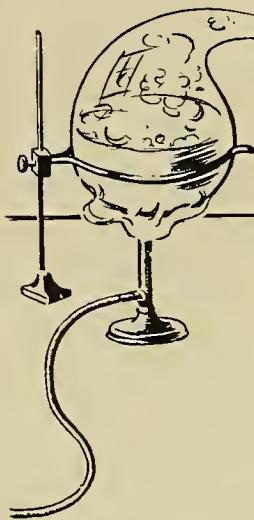
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